

O-G wins 2 in tourney tune-up

The Owen-Gage girls' basketball team finished its regular season with a 59-36 win Tuesday night at Carsonville-Port Sanilac.

The North Central D League champions of Judy Campbell finish with a 13-1 league mark and 17-2 overall.

The two teams meet again at 8:30 Thursday in the first round of district play, hosted by C.P.S.

If the Bulldogs win then, they play Saturday at 7 p.m. against Peck and if they win

that round, the championship game is Tuesday at 7 p.m.

A win in the districts will put Owen-Gage in the regionals at Peck, starting after Thanksgiving.

Becky Howard, apparently recovered from a sprained knee, scored 39 points Tuesday, the only Bulldog in double figures. Julie Andrakowicz pulled down 13 rebounds.

Mary Ann Willis had 10 points and 10 rebounds for the Tigers. Marcie Falls

scored 10 points.

The Owen-Gage junior varsity, which won only three games this season, lost 38-12.

Score by quarters:

O-G	14	21	12	12	59
C-PS	5	6	16	9	36

PECK

The Owen-Gage girls' basketball team became the solo North Central D League champion last Thursday with a 54-36 win at home over Peck, the defending league champions.

It was the second win by the Bulldogs over the Pirates this season.

Peck led by one point at the end of the first quarter, 12-11, but coach Judy Campbell's chargers pumped in 16 in the second while their opponents could manage only four, to put the game on ice.

Julie Andrakowicz led her team with 18 points and 16 rebounds. Becky Howard, playing despite a strained knee, managed 15 points. Joan Mosack pumped in 14.

Diane Seddon scored 17 points for Peck. Colleen Foley collected 11 and 11 rebounds.

The Pirates won the junior varsity game, 25-22.

Score by quarters:

O-G	11	16	18	9	54
Peck	12	4	7	13	36

NORTH CENTRAL D LEAGUE GIRLS' BASKETBALL (as of Nov. 13)

Owen-Gage	12	1
Caseville	11	3
North Huron	10	4
Port Hope	8	5
Kingston	5	8
Peck	3	10
Carsonville-PS	2	11
Akron-Fairgrove	2	11



TWO OUT OF THREE -- Edith Izydorek of Decker Road, Evergreen township, shot this 10-point, 160-pound buck at 7:10 a.m. Saturday in a corn field behind her home. Two years ago, the first time she ever hunted, the 21-year-old mother of two bagged a buck at 7 a.m. opening day. Last year she was unsuccessful. Her husband, William, who has yet to get a buck, had to clean his wife's trophy.

Energy costs leveling off

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Thumb and as far south as Lapeer and Oxford.

There are still many persons installing wood burning stoves and furnaces, he said, and business is better than last year.

Viney didn't care to disclose how many cords he sold last year, but he delivers wood all over the upper

David Parrish of Phillips Road, who works in Pontiac, advertises in newspapers in that area. With firewood selling for \$60 a cord down there, customers save money by driving up here and buying from Parrish.

Viney also has customers driving here from the metropolitan area.

How much firewood is used depends on the efficiency of the heating unit and the condition of the house.

Viney has one customer who used 30 face cords last winter to heat an old, three-story, but well insulated house.

Another customer lives in a small, uninsulated five-room house, and uses a cord a week.

Buyers should be aware of whether they are burning seasoned or green wood. The latter creates more creosote when burned than dry wood, which increases the chances of chimney fires, as well as decreasing efficiency of the stove or furnace.

Several donations have been received to date and individuals or businesses interested in donating new or used materials (excluding clothing) may call auction chairman Dean Reedy, at 673-4121.

HDC plans fund raiser

The Human Development Commission has announced plans for its first annual fund-raising auction, according to agency Executive Director Mary Ann Vandemark.

"The auction proceeds will enable us to provide a fuller range of services to our clients as well as aid in the completion of our new building," she said.

HDC is a community action agency, which provides services to individuals in Huron, Lapeer, Sanilac

and Tuscola counties.

The agency provides services in housing assistance, substance abuse, energy conservation, employment and training and foster grandparents, as well as maintaining an outreach program and information and referral services.

"During the past year, we have returned approximately \$3.5 million of the counties' state and federal dollars," said Mrs. Vandemark. She stressed those

funds were to be utilized for HDC clients and not for agency improvements.

The auction will be from 1-7 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 6, at the Square Deal Auto Parts Center, 603 East Frank Street, Caro.

More hunters bag more deer in Thumb area

There were more hunters out and more deer taken in Tuscola county during the opening week end of firearms deer season, according to Department of Natural Resources wildlife biologist Carlton (Bud) Jarvis.

There were 70 hunters who stopped at the DNR station south of Caro Saturday and Sunday to have their animals checked and to receive a "successful deer hunter" patch. That's about 10 more than for the first two days of deer season last year.

Jarvis estimated there were probably 15-20 percent more hunters out Saturday than on opening day last year, which was a Thursday.

More deer were taken, he said, not only because there were more hunters but also because there were more deer.

The animals examined by

the biologist were healthy and several had nice racks.

Good areas within Tuscola appeared to have been south of Kingston, the Tuscola State Game Area south of Caro and Cass City and Deford areas.

Most successful hunters reporting at the Caro DNR office shot their game within a five-mile radius, so that doesn't give a completely true picture.

Most of the complaints received by DNR conservation officers, according to Jarvis, concerned trespassing. There were also a few hunters who didn't have proper licenses and three instances of shooting antlerless deer. They added up to about the normal number of complaints for an opening two days.

The officers were unaware of any accidental shootings.

Buck Luck



John Warju, 17, of Severance Road, shot his first buck ever in three years of hunting Sunday. He shot the seven-point, 175-pounder about 2:30 p.m.

Fred Schmidt of Decker-ville shot a six-point buck Saturday in the Holbrook area.

Robert Becker of Cass City shot a deer in the Holbrook area.

Mrs. Steven Sofka of Holbrook got a seven-point buck Saturday near Rapson.

Allen Depeinski of the Holbrook area brought down a four-pointer near Bad Axe.

Bow hunter Randy Schenk of Holbrook shot an eight-point buck Monday.

Mrs. Dennis Hagen of Holbrook downed an eight-point buck in the Ubyly area.

Jim Hagen of Holbrook shot a four-pointer in the Ubyly area.

Rev. Dale Bird of Holbrook, hunting near Cass City, brought a three-point buck home.

Steve Franks of Cedar Run Road, Cass City, hunting south of Gagetown, shot a six-point buck at 7:10 a.m. Saturday, his first in four years. It weighed about 200 pounds.

Dave Purvis, 15, of Froede Road, Deford, downed a nine-point buck weighing about 175 pounds at 7:20 a.m. on his parents' property. He shot a deer during bow season in the same area.

Roger Talaski of 5621 W. Wilsie Road shot an eight-pointer, weighing about 250 pounds, at 10:30 a.m. opening day near Ubyly.

Ken Martin Jr. of Hurds Corner Road downed a five-point buck at 7:20 a.m. Saturday near his family's home.

Milton Phillips of 7614 Kelly Road shot a seven-point buck opening day at 7:50 a.m. near the Cass City landfill, off Cemetery Road. The animal weighed an estimated 130 pounds dressed.

Bernard Shagena of Sebe-waig shot a three-point buck at 8:10 a.m. opening day, east of Cass City. It was the fourth deer he has shot in four years in the same area.

Peter Kritzman of Decker downed a three-point, one-horned buck while hunting on his farm at 8:30 a.m. Saturday. It weighed about 150 pounds.

Terry Elenbaum of Robinson Road, shot what turned out to be a two-point doe at 9 a.m. Saturday, near his farm.

Kim Fritz of North Branch shot a five-point buck at 8 a.m. Saturday, east of Cass City. During bow season, he brought down a spikehorn, also east of Cass City. He is the son-in-law of the John Gues of Cass City.

David Burnette of 4293 Crane Road, Cass City, came home Saturday with his first buck, a 12-pointer, weighing 225 pounds. He shot it about noon, west of Cass City.

Theresa Sugden of 4619 Little Road, shot a six-point, 170-pound buck at 3 p.m. Saturday near her home.

Stanley Michael Kloc of 6195 Severance Road shot a six-point buck about 11 a.m. Sunday. His brother, Rich-

ard, shot his first buck, eight points, at 7:30 a.m. Monday, south of Cass City.

Tom Dewey of Short Road shot a 10-point buck Sunday in the Cass City area.

The Deford Country Grocery reported the following successful hunters during the week end:

Keith Harmon, Fostoria, 105 pounds, six points.

Jim Kilbourn, Deford, 155 pounds, eight points.

Dave Kramer, 95 pounds, five points.

Gene Cox, Deford, 100 pounds, six points.

Sherry Lester, Deford, 117 pounds, eight points.

Chaslee Maynoz, Cass City, 108 pounds, eight points.

Bert Linabury, 124 pounds, seven points.

Doug Krum, Sterling Heights, 125 pounds, five points.

Bryan Eldridge, Kingston, 152 pounds, 10 points.

Ivan Stine, Cass City, 175 pounds, nine points.

Vern McConnell bagged an eight-point buck at 10 a.m. Saturday on his farm southwest of Cass City.

Randy Stine, 17, of Cedar Run Road, downed his first buck ever at 7:30 a.m. Monday, northeast of Cass City. The five-pointer weighed about 150 pounds.

Stan Szarapski of Kelly Road, Cass City, and his three in-laws all came home with bucks from a week end of hunting in Menominee county in the Upper Peninsula. Szarapski bagged a four-point buck Saturday and Dr. Joe Wolschleger of Big Rapids downed a five-pointer that day. Sunday, Leonard Wolschleger of Harbor Beach and Bob Wolschleger of Decker-ville each got a three-pointer.

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HEALTH TIPS

Head lice, pink eye affect children

Have you recently been notified by a note or telephone call your child has head lice? If so, you are not alone.

There has been a significant rise nationally in the incidence of head lice. Anyone can get lice. Having them is no disgrace, but doing nothing about them is a disgrace.

Following are some tips regarding lice from the Sanilac County Health Department that may be helpful in finding and also treating them:

1) Tell children not to share combs, brushes, hats, scarves, coats, and other clothing.

2) Watch to see if your children scratch their head frequently or complain of itching of the scalp.

3) Wash and check your children's heads frequently. Head lice are difficult to spot but they leave a definite trail - nits (eggs) are oval shaped, grayish white in color and are "glued" tightly to the hair. They cannot be easily removed like dandruff. These eggs hatch in 3-21 days and the cycle continues. Frequently the scalp and neck are bitten.

4) If you find nits, don't panic! Numerous products are available for treatment. Your physician or pharmacist can suggest or prescribe a suitable product. Be sure to follow the manufacturer's directions.

5) Check and treat all family members affected.

6) Thorough cleaning of rugs, upholstered furniture, bedding, etc., as well as all articles of clothing, brushes, combs, hats, and jackets, is

essential for control.

7) To prevent mass infestations, affected persons should be isolated until adequate treatment is given.

PINK EYE

Conjunctivitis or "pink eye" as it is often called, is an infection caused by a variety of bacteria and is extremely contagious.

You may first be aware of pink eye when your child awakens with his eyelids glued shut by a thick yellow discharge from his eye.

Pink eye readily spreads from one member of the family to another unless extreme care is taken to keep towels, wash clothes, and other toilet articles of the ill child separate.

You can soothe the inflamed eye or eyes with warm compresses but check with your family doctor about treatment.

Symptoms to check your child for are watering of one or both eyes, rubbing of eyes, and eyes appearing red and irritated, also swelling of eyelids. Your child may complain of his eyes being sensitive to light and thick yellow drainage from the eyes.

Children should not attend school until properly treated by the doctor and symptoms have disappeared. If you have further questions, contact your county health department.

DANGEROUS THING

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LETTER TO EDITOR

Zawilinski gripes about pay raises

Mr. Haire, I wonder if you care to print my opinion of the soap opera, Crouse and Spouse.

First of all, I wish to commend the four school board members who took a stand and had the courage to hold their ground, even though they and we taxpayers were threatened by a lawsuit. More power to you, keep up the good work.

My only regret is they should have started saying "no" a few months earlier, before the administration was granted those enormous pay raises.

Thank you, Marge Zawilinski